

**MAYSVILLE WEATHER.**

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-Four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

"A blue sky" - Fair; "Blue" - Breeze or snow; "With black above" - will warm; "If black" - beneath - colder will be; "Unless black" - shown - no change will be.

"The above forecasts are made for a period of twenty-four hours, ending at 5 o'clock tomorrow evening."

Fresh Bulk and Can Oysters received daily at Martin Bros.

Blue Stone will keep your wheat from smutting. For sale at Chenoweth's.

There was a pole-raising at Concord Saturday afternoon, when the Republics came placed their coils 110 feet up in the air. There was a large crowd present and speeches were made by Hon. George M. Thomas of Vanceburg and Thomas A. Davis of this city.

The towboat City of War, owned by Captain Thomas Hall, formerly of Aberdeen, towed a lot of barges laden with brick, struck a bridge pier at Cincinnati Saturday morning. One barge was sunk, involving a loss of some \$2,500, which is covered by insurance.

The Kentucky Standard, published by the Kentucky School for the Deaf at Danville, contains an excellent list of Mr. Augustus Rogers, Superintendent of that institution. Mr. Rogers is a non-lawyer of Dr. Wardropper of this city, having in 1889 married Miss Anne Wardropper.

**THREE DEATHS.**

**The Grim Reaper's Work in This City Since Saturday.**

MRS. BELLE ALEXANDER.

Mrs. Belle Alexander, after an illness of several weeks, died yesterday morning at 4 o'clock at the residence of her niece, Mrs. William R. Smith, on East Second street, aged 54 years.

Mrs. Alexander was taken ill with flux, which went into inflammation of the stomach and bowels and finally proved fatal.

She was a daughter of the late Mr. John Newdigate, and leaves three brothers—Messrs. James, George and Charles Newdigate—two sisters—Mrs. Charles H. Nicholson and Mrs. Charles Brouse—a half sister—Mrs. Amanda Wise—a son—Mr. William Alexander—and a host of friends to mourn her loss.

The funeral will occur tomorrow from the late residence, the services being conducted by the Rev. I. P. Trotter, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, of which the deceased was a faithful and consistent member.

Burial at the Maysville Cemetery.

MRS. ELLEN MCKINLEY.

Mrs. Ellen McKinley, aged 67, after a brief illness, died Saturday night at 12 o'clock at the residence of her sister, Mrs. William Burrows, on East Front street.

Mrs. McKinley had been a life-long resident of this city, and she will be sadly missed by a number of friends and relatives.

She leaves a sister—Mrs. William Burrows—and a brother—Colonel Robert G. Lynn.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. John S. Hays, D.D., assisted by Rev. J. S. Sims, at Mrs. Burrows' residence, this afternoon at 2 o'clock, after which the remains will be interred in the Maysville Cemetery.

MRS. GEORGE SULLIVAN.

Mrs. George Sullivan, who moved from this city to Covington several months since, died Sunday morning of cancer of the stomach, at the home of her brother-in-law, Moses Jones, a short distance below this city. She was in the forty-ninth year of her age. The funeral will take place Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, services being conducted by the Rev. S. D. Dutcher.

The Darlington, Wis. Journal says editorially of a popular patent medicine: "We know from experience that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is all that is claimed for it, as on two occasions it stopped excruciating pains and positively saved us from an untimely grave. We would not rest any over night without it in the house." This remedy undoubtedly saves more pain and suffering than any other medicine in the world. Every family should keep it in the house, for it is sure to be needed soon or later. For sale by J. James Wood, Druggist.

**IMPORTANT INTERVIEW.**

**BEARS UPON A SUBJECT RAISED BY POPOCRATIC MANAGERS.**

Special to Public Ledger.

CHICAGO, October 10th.

Mr. William A. Karday, an iron worker of Pittsburgh, has been identified with the cause of organized labor for many years. He is now First Vice-President of the Amalgamated Association of the Iron and Steel Workers, and he was four years Vice-President of the American Federation of Labor. He is today at the McCoy House in this city, and when asked if he had seen Robert Askey's recent attack on Mr. M. A. Hanna, said:

"Yes, I have read Robert Askey's recent attack on Mr. Hanna, and in common with the great mass of workmen I consider it purely a political document, gotten up for the purpose of injuring Governor McKinley and the cause of Protection and Honest Money. If Mr. Askey had wanted to enlighten the public concerning Mr. Hanna's treatment of his employes why did he not give a history of the Winthrop Mine during the six years that the firm of M. A. Hanna & Co. have controlled it? Instead of doing that he makes upon his own unsupported authority a number of charges relating to the affairs of a mine that M. A. Hanna & Co. have controlled only about a year."

"I began looking into the charges against Mr. Hanna some weeks ago in the interest of labor and not of politics, except as I wished to see the triumph of the cause of Protection. At my request Mr. Horace J. Stevens of Indianapolis, Mich., gave this subject a thorough investigation, and in the course of a very full reply to my question, he says:

"The first interest secured by Mr. Hanna or his firm was in February, 1890, when the Winthrop Mine was bought by M. A. Hanna & Co. and Mr. Fred Brastab, a leading merchant of Indianapolis. Previous to its purchase that mine was called the 'Man-trap,' on account of its danger to life and limb, but under its present ownership it has become one of the safest mines in the District. The number of accidents have decreased, although the force employed and the output have increased."

"It has been a custom in this District for the mining companies to build houses to be rented to employes, had been rented also to those who wished to build for themselves, at an annual charge of \$30 a year. Many of the employes of the Winthrop Mine had built little homes and paid an annual ground rent until the company, under Mr. Hanna's direction, remitted this rent, since when they have paid nothing for the use of the land. This change from the established policy of all the mines in the District was made by the company, by Mr. Hanna's express order, long before the panic had compelled other corporations to reduce their rents."

"Mr. Hanna believes that it makes a better citizen of a man to own his own home, and therefore he gave to those miners who wished to build a home the full use of land. These lots are generally more than an acre in size, some of them four and five acres, for which not one penny of rental is charged, while other mining companies charge \$20 a year for a much smaller piece of ground."

"The first strike that took place in this district since Mr. Hanna became interested here was in October, 1890, the question in dispute being one of hours of labor."

The second strike occurred in 1895, on the question of wages. The miners where the strike originated visited the other mines in a body, inducing the men to stop work. The manager of the Winthrop mine, Mr. Brastab, was absent, but upon his return all was satisfactorily arranged in a short time by mutual concessions and the men returned to work. They had been idle but twenty-four hours. The men from all the other mines remained out for three weeks, and then returned to work without having gained their point. These facts are still fresh in the minds of most of the miners of the Indianapolis District."

"I endeavored to secure mutual concessions among the miners and managers during this strike, but was unable to do so, although that result was reached in the case of Mr. Hanna's property without the intervention of outside parties."

"The second and last strike in the District took place last summer, beginning July 15th, 1896, and continued five weeks. The miners at the Winthrop were satisfied with their wages, but walked out on account of the strong pressure from other mines. After a conference between the manager and the men, the miners of the Winthrop unanimously decided to return to their places, but were prevented from doing so, as the miners at the other mines had decided that all should go to work, or none. Eventually the mines of Indianapolis proper were compelled to call on the Governor for protection, or at least did call on him, though there had been no acts of violence. The Fifth Michigan State Regiment came and remained here nearly four weeks. All the mines received protection, except the Winthrop, which felt that it did not need any, and not a soldier came near its property. It employed no extra watchmen, had no troops, left \$100,000 worth of machinery and surface improvements all unguarded, and no attempt was made to destroy or injure any of it. Three weeks before the strike ended, the miners voted to allow the Winthrop men to go back to work, which was done, and they worked steadily during the last three weeks, while the soldiers were there guarding the property of the other mines of the District."

"On the first day of this month all of the mines of the Indianapolis District reduced wages with the exception of the Winthrop. The employes there are still receiving the same wages that were paid before the cut at other places. Wages are maintained, but this mine has paid no dividend for the past three years, though in ordinary times it is very profitable. Other mines have paid dividends during that time, but the President of the Winthrop, Mr. M. A. Hanna, thought it better to allow the employes to earn a living than to squeeze out a dividend by reducing wages. The Lake Superior Iron Mine, in which Mr. Hanna recently became interested, is the Chapin, at Iron Mountain. Work was begun there about fifteen months ago on a large scale. Since then the Company has never passed a pay day, and the employes are again paid in hard cash, a change most grateful to them, after a long experience of deferred payments and due bills that were only passed at a heavy discount. Mr. Hanna has also directed the remission of the ground rent at the Chapin, which was formerly charged employes living on the Company's land, and they now occupy the land rent free."

"I condense the above from the report of the long and comprehensive investigation made by Mr. Stevens. There is no room for a possible doubt of the truth of his assertions, and it surely seems that the man who gives his employes land free to build their homes upon merits the praise rather than the condemnation of the friends of labor."

"I have taken pains also to inquire into the charges made against Mr. Hanna in other fields of labor, especially the lake sailors, and in the course of my investigations have received the following, which most emphatically exonerate Mr. Hanna, the first being a letter from Mr. T. L. Lewis, President Ohio State Trades Assembly and Secretary Ohio Miners' Union.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 28th, 1896.

Dear Sir: In answer to your recent letter of inquiry, I would state that I had charge of an investigation of the marine interests of Ohio, made under the auspices of the Ohio Bureau of Labor Statistics, in 1894. My inquiry went back for twenty years, extending beyond the time of the trouble between the Lake Carriers' Association and the Sailors' Union. There was no evidence found in the course of this investigation to show that Mark Hanna had any part in the difficulty then existing between the sailors and their employers."

I would further state that the statistical investigation of the workshops and factories for the city of Cleveland, made by the Labor Bureau, was likewise under my direction. The reports based upon this inquiry are on file in Columbus, and they will show that Mr. Hanna paid the highest standard wages for labor performed in industries in which he was interested. Very respectfully yours,

T. L. LEWIS,

President Ohio State Trades Assembly and Secretary Ohio Miners' Union.

Another document of equal value in coming to a conclusion on this question



Perhaps You Have

An old-fashioned key-wind watch that belonged to your father—perhaps your grandfather—and would like to wear it but for the annoyance of searching for a key every time you want to wind it.

I can reconstruct it so that you can preserve the old watch with all its associations and at the same time enjoy the use of a modern stem-winding watch.

BALLENGER, Jeweler.

is from Mr. Richard Powers, a prominent and influential worker in the labor organizations of the country and Ex-President of the Seamen's Union. He writes as follows, under date of Chicago, September 25th, 1896:

"Knowing the history of the Lake Seamen's Union from its organization to the present, and participating in its struggles when it was so involved danger and sacrifice, I can truthfully assert that never in all this time, nor at any other, has that organization ever had any trouble with Mark A. Hanna. All assertions to the contrary are falsehoods, manufactured for political effect and with a desire to mislead working people, and I denounce them as such. Yours truly,

RICHARD POWERS,

Ex-President Seamen's Union."

Senator Blackburn is laid up at his home with an attack of laryngitis and may be unable to fill his speaking appointments for a week or ten days.

Bargains in Sterling Silver Spoons and Forks, also in Rogers & Bro.'s 1847 Knives, Forks and Spoons. Never before have these goods been sold so cheap as P. J. Murphy the Jeweler is offering them.

**THEY DON'T LIE!**

**Ledger Correspondents Differ From the Hypocritical Fellows.**

Brookville Reporter—"The Editor of the MATSVILLE PUBLIC LEDGER evidently doesn't believe that self praise is half slander. Most every issue of his paper contains an extended account of a speech delivered at a crossroads School-house in Macon county in which he 'wiped up the earth with his opponent, and made dozens of votes for his party.'"

This is noticed only for the purpose of saying that THE LEDGER's correspondents are truthful gentlemen.

But if either of the Hypocritical or Hypocritical Editors wish to be "wiped up," just let them name a date for the Mayville Opera-house and invite their friends to the funeral.

Now, blast you both, will you be good!

**WEST VIRGINIA SURE.**

**Even "Ole Virginny" May Fall Into Line For McKinley.**

President M. R. Ingalls of the C. and O., who is an Honest Dollar Democrat, has this to say to a representative of The Cincinnati Times-Star:

"I tell you we are going to carry old Virginia for Sound Money. There are the most encouraging signs everywhere. My meeting in Roanoke was a fine one, but you can get an audience now to hear anybody speak, no matter how the people to get new ideas and new arguments and new facts."

"West Virginia is sure for McKinley. I have ceased to speculate on West Virginia."

"Business is getting better, too. Encouraging reports have come in from all the Departments of the C. and O. and the Big Four. The election of McKinley is already being discounted, and money is seeking investment and merchandise is being moved. We are preparing for a decided increase in business."

**If Troubled With Rheumatism Read This.**

ANXANOL, Md., April 16th, 1894.—I have used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism and found it to be all that is claimed for it. I believe it to be the best preparation for rheumatism and deep seated muscular pains on the market and cheerfully recommend it to the public.

John G. Brooks, dealer in boots, shoes, etc., No. 18 Main St.

ALSO READ THIS.

MCKEANVILLE, St. Mary County, Md.—I sold a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm to a man who had been suffering with rheumatism for several years. It made him a well man. A. J. McGinnis.

For sale 50 cents per bottle by J. James Wood, Druggist.

Secretary Carlisle will come to Kentucky the latter part of this week and will remain until after the election. He may make six or eight speeches.

Miss Margaret Alexander, daughter of George B. Alexander of the Northern Bank of Kentucky, died at Macon, Ga. She went to Macon several weeks ago to visit friends and contracted typhoid fever.

**\$100—Reward—\$100.**

The result of a disease is pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Cancer. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address,

F. J. CHERRY & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75 cents.

**White Kid**

**Strap**

**Sandals.**

J. HENRY PECOR.

Use Traxel's Patented Twentieth Century

**NON-DIG-UP HYDRANT AND STREET WASHER**

The only Hydrant manufactured in United States that every part can be repaired without digging up, and at one-third the cost of other hydrants. For sale only by

**GEO. H. TRAXEL,**

Owner and manufacturer. Plumbing work of all description promptly and neatly done. No. 129 West Second street, Mayville, Ky.

**U. S. Revenue Stamps Wanted**

T. L. GREEN, County Clerk, Mt. Olivet, Ky.

I want to buy for cash the following U. S. Revenue stamps, either cancelled or uncanceled, at the prices named when stamps are sent in good condition:

1 cent Express, red, imperforate..... 1 cent

1 cent Express, blue, imperforate..... 1 cent

1 cent Express, green, imperforate..... 1 cent

1 cent Express, red, perforate..... 1 cent

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HEAVY GALES

Off the Atlantic Coast Does Considerable Damage to Shipping.

Schooner Alsatian Capsizes Near Baker Island and is a Total Loss.

The Crew With Difficulty Was Rescued—A Storm and High Tide Wrecks a Portion of the Fleet at Atlantic City—Baker Island Suffered.

GLIOUCHSTER, Mass., Oct. 13.—Schooner Alsatian, from Bath, lumber laden for Boston, capsized off Baker Island Sunday afternoon and is a total loss. According to Capt. Oliver the Alsatian left Bath Saturday and at 3 o'clock Sunday morning the wind freshened and the sea increased so that the heavy swell shifted the deck load and opened the water over the bows.

The vessel soon filled and became unmanageable. Attempts to get into Rockport and Salem were futile and as the sea was breaking over the water-logged craft, the crew were lashed to the rigging. All that could be done was to let the schooner drift before the wind and sea. She drifted near Thacher's island and nearly swamped, the crew being rendered almost unconscious by the waves. When near Baker's island reef a sea carried off the mainmast and the vessel was left a wreck of four boards. They succeeded in grabbing wreckage that came from the deck load. In the meantime a fishing boat which arrived from the north, towed a waterlogged vessel off Eastern Point, and Capt. Young, of the steamer Helen May Butler, immediately started out to the vessel's assistance.

Upon overtaking the wrecked schooner, Capt. Young and Steward Anderson manned a boat and put out to sea. The nearly exhausted men. With great difficulty and just as the victims were sinking they were hauled into the boat. Two of the crew were unconscious, but soon recovered. Owing to the heavy storm that was raging the rescue was a difficult one. Capt. Young and his steward nearly sacrificed their lives, as the boat filled three times before the shipwrecked men were got on.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Oct. 13.—The northeast storm that has been traveling along the Atlantic coast struck this city Sunday morning and in connection with an extraordinarily high tide has done considerable damage. Two of the three piers along the beach front have sustained the greatest damage so far. About 300 feet of the iron pier at the foot of Massachusetts avenue has been carried away. A section of the wrecked schooner Metcalf, which was lying near the pier, was blown away by the surf, and for an hour or so it was piling with terrific force against the piling of the pier. The piling withstood the battering at first, but at last the tide section went down with a crash. The mass of wood from the wreck is still floating along the beach front and more damage may be expected.

The center of the pier at the foot of Texas avenue has partially given way. It is expected that the two piers will go out to sea before morning. The bulkhead at Chelsea has been destroyed. Railroad travel on the Camden and Atlantic railroad has been suspended, owing to the high waters on the meadows submerged the tracks. The entire force of the tide saving crew were out Sunday night on beach watching for any ship in distress. The cottages on the Meadow side of the city have been surrounded by water all day and the occupants have been compelled to use boats to get to and from their homes. The wind reached a velocity of 35 miles an hour Sunday.

Many railroad lines were floating in on the beach Sunday night and it is believed they indicate the washing away of the trolley railway on Brigantine beach.

NANTUCKET, Mass., Oct. 13.—Information of what may have been another ocean tragedy was obtained Saturday. James C. McLeese picked up on the south shore a bottle containing the following hastily scribbled note on a leaf of a book:

"Sept. 10. We are off Nantucket 90 miles, and are about to sink. Please notify my wife, Mrs. Frazier, of Gloucester."

(Signed) JOHN C. FRAZER.

"We will never reach shore alive, Good-by."

The gale has increased steadily for the past 24 hours and blew a hurricane Sunday night. Small boats are being sunk at their moorings, but shipping was so thoroughly warned in advance that no other wrecks are anticipated. A small fleet of vessels anchored off Sankey Head Saturday night was blown off their anchor Sunday morning. One three-masted schooner is anchored in the sound near Great Point, and is in a dangerous position.

THOMAS WATSON III. ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 13.—Reports from Thomson, the home of Thomas W. Watson, are that the populist vice presidential candidate is confined to his room with a bad cold and is under medical treatment by his physician. If W. Reed populist committee man from Georgia, is in consultation with him and in telegraphic communication with Marion Butler, Mr. Watson has been ill since Tuesday night and has been continually getting worse. He was allowed to see his except Reed, whose mission is relative to Watson's candidacy and members of his family.

THE BANK ROBBER IDENTIFIED. MAISON CITY, Ill., Oct. 13.—There is no longer any doubt as to the identity of the man arrested at 8 o'clock Saturday afternoon at Lake Mills. Deputy Sheriff E. B. Ward, of Gallatin, in running down the desperado, who arrived at Lake Mills Sunday night, and when taken to the small calabozo where the prisoner was kept, was identified him without any trouble as the man wanted.

COMMANDER GILLPATRICK

Drops Dead of Heart Disease in His Office in Chattanooga.

CHATTANOOGA, Oct. 13.—Commander W. W. Gillpatrick, of the United States navy, dropped dead of heart disease in his office in the Federal building Saturday morning at 10:30.

He had just recently returned from a several weeks' vacation spent in the Virginias and at Annapolis, Md., leaving his wife at his former place.

For the past two years Commander Gillpatrick has had charge of the U. S. light-house service on the Ohio, Kansas and Tennessee rivers, was preparing to make an inspection trip over the Fourteenth light-house district on the beacon light steamer Goldsboro.

Commander Gillpatrick was 55 years of age and his place of residence was near Chattanooga. He was in command of the United States navy on September 30, 1903, and has been in continuous service for 34 years. He was in command of the United States navy on September 30, 1903, and has been in continuous service for 34 years.

His SHOT KILLED AN INNOCENT CHINESE WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST CAUSE.

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 13.—A crazy man ran amok in the streets of Atlanta Sunday and deliberately shot down a well known citizen whom the man did not know. The man killed, who could give no excuse whatever, the lunatic is Ben. H. Osborne, who is a brother of J. B. Osborne, a labor agitator quite well known throughout the United States.

The man who did the killing has been taken to the asylum, and preparations were being made to send him back there again. He made his escape, however, and the tragedy referred to was one result of it. The man killed was Theodore Schneider, foreman of the engraving department of the Atlanta Lithographic Co. The crime occurred near the intersection of the city and Alabama streets, right in the heart of the city. Osborne, when arrested and asked why he shot the man, replied: "I don't know; I don't know; My brains have been stolen and a dog's place in their stead."

AN AQUARIUM

For the Scientific Study of Marine Life in the Pacific He Built at Honolulu.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—The Honolulu correspondent of the United States Press, writes that the Hon. R. B. Bishop has authorized the trustees of the Bishop Museum to expend \$750,000 in building an aquarium at Honolulu to the extent of the Pacific Ocean.

WITH VITRIOL

The Burglar Blinded and Burned Him.

ALLEGHENY, Pa., Oct. 13.—Mrs. Mary Schreiner, of 343 Spring Garden avenue, discovered a burglar in her house, screamed and the man ran out. A number of men followed the robber who was fleet of foot, and he was seen to turn back and dash the contents of a large bottle of vitriol in their faces, blinding and burning them. Then the burglar made his escape and has not been captured.

JOE BLACKBURN QUITE ILL

May Not Be Able to Take Further Part in the Campaign.

VERMILION, Pa., Oct. 13.—Senator Blackburn is quite ill at his home. He has a fever, and is threatened with bronchitis. He took cold in New York last week when speaking at Tammany hall. At Mr. Vernon, where he was to speak, he broke down and came home. His physicians have ordered him to quit. He will not be able to resume his campaign for ten days, and possibly not before election.

Cotton Crop Returns

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The returns to the statistical division of the department of agriculture, for October, make cotton show a decline of 3.3 points from the September condition, which was 64.3 per cent. against 67.7 for the present month. There was very small yield from the top crop and the reports say the crop will be all gathered by November 1.

Banker Arrested

ROME, Oct. 13.—Ex-President Jack King, of the Merchants' national bank of this city, was arrested by a United States marshal and taken to Atlanta. King is charged with embezzlement of \$50,000 from the bank and his brother, Samuel King, is the present mayor of the city. It has created a sensation here and over the entire state.

An American Dentist Arrested in Berlin.

BERLIN, Oct. 13.—A dentist has been arrested and fined in this city for displaying upon the door of his office a plate describing him as a doctor of dentistry with the approval of an American dental college. The board held that it was against the law for him to use a foreign title in practice in Germany.

Scientist Gays to Yale.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 13.—Millionaire J. Montgomery Sears, of this city, presented the magnificent classical library of the noted German scholar, Erich Curtin, to Yale college. The library consists of 5,000 rare classical volumes, pamphlets and other books.

Gold for the United States.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—Included in the withdrawals from the Bank of England Saturday was \$1,000,000 in gold for shipment to the United States.

UNHAPPY B.A.

There is no Respect or Safety for American People.

Everything on the Island Literally Burned and Destroyed.

Many of the Inhabitants Are Trying to Escape—American Citizens Are Arrested and Shot Down Without the Possibility of Trial by Spaniards.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Oct. 13.—A prominent citizen of this city, who once resided in Cuba but escaped with others in a small boat to the United States, received a letter from one of his sisters in that country Saturday. He read the accounts of the march of Gomez to the west, and knew he must have crossed the plantation of his brother-in-law on the route, but he could only imagine their fate. The letter was dated at the American consulate in Matanzas, September 29, and was written in Spanish. The letter reads as follows:

"We are all together in this city, where we have been since January. Our home has been abandoned since the Gomez invasion. We have been trying to leave this country and settle in Alabama or Louisiana and will probably do so. You can not imagine the state of affairs in this unhappy country. The Spaniards arrest and murder the people in the country, and nobody is sure in the evening that he will be living in the morning. There is no respect or safety for American people. The island is literally desolated, everything burned and destroyed. It is impossible to do any business or earn a dollar in this unhappy island and the people of this once rich country are literally dying of starvation. We do not know what the end will be, but the present conditions are desperate. American citizens are shot down without the semblance of a trial, the marines always being outside the cities. The Spaniards start out with the prisoners, claiming that they are to remove them to other cities, but they shoot them down and then claim the prisoners attempted to escape. Cubans are winning nearly every battle and will win their war for freedom."

THE BANK ROBBERY.

Funeral of the Dead Robber and His Victim, Cashier Thorburn.

SHERBURNE, Minn., Oct. 13.—Sunday was one of funerals in Sherburne as well as affording an opportunity for the residents of the surrounding towns to look of Wednesday's robbery and the body of the dead robber. Several hundred people from adjoining counties came during the day and gathered curiously at the bank where the tragedy occurred. The robber was buried Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The remains were taken to the cemetery at the south side of the town and interred in potter's field. The grave was not filled, however, and the coffin was frequently opened during the day for purposes of identification. When the coffin had been lowered in its rough pine box, Rev. G. J. Lutz, the local Methodist pastor, spoke briefly on the recent crime and its speedy punishment. Seven for the dead cashier, Geo. Thorburn, were held at the Congregational church Sunday afternoon. The remains will be shipped Monday to Montreal.

ADMITTS IT.

One of the Bandits Who Committed the Double Murder and Bank Robbery at Sherburne Confesses.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 13.—The man captured Saturday at Lake Mills on suspicion of being the surviving one of the bandits, who committed the double murder and bank robbery at Sherburne, Minn., Sunday evening made a full confession of the affair. He says they were brothers, but refuses absolutely to tell his name. As the citizens of Sherburne are still bitterly aroused, it will not be safe to take the prisoner there, as lynching would surely follow. He may be taken to Wabnago City for safe keeping on the morning train. Efforts are being made by the authorities to keep their movements secret to avoid a mob.

Wood Workers Elect Officers.

DETROIT, Oct. 13.—The national convention of the Amalgamated Wood Workers of America elected the following officers: President, D. L. Mulenbach, Detroit; treasurer, Henry Engleking, of Chicago; secretary, Thos. A. Kidd, of Chicago. General counsel, Chas. F. Bebelein, of Baltimore; James L. Chance, of Minneapolis; J. W. Gorgins, of St. Louis, and W. J. Wolfe, of Toronto. The headquarters will remain at Chicago. No more national conventions will be held by the body until the next such a meeting becomes apparent.

Finally Shoots His Sweetheart.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—At 1:30 p.m. Monday morning Philip Zimmer, a blacksmith, fatally shot Cella Voita, his sweetheart, at her home 723 Park street, shot his sister slightly and then committed suicide by shooting himself through the chest. His body is at the morgue. Zimmer and his sister called on the dead girl and a quarrel over another young man led to the tragedy.

No Fusion in Florida.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 13.—There will be no fusion between democrats and populists in Florida. It has been stated that the populists offered to make down their candidates for congress and support the democratic nominees if the democrats would replace the fusion electors by a fusion ticket. The democratic managers were not willing to do this.

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BRECKINRIDGE

Will Open His Campaign at Lexington Monday.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 13.—Col. Breckinridge, the gold democrat-republican candidate for congress, will open his campaign here Monday afternoon at the opera house. Evan E. Settle, the silver nominee, has sent a request for a division of time with Breckinridge. Sunday night Breckinridge said he had not decided whether he would meet Mr. Settle or not, as the proposition had not been made to him direct. The silver player will see that the proposition is made direct to the hotel Monday morning, when he must accept or reject it. It is safe to say, however, that Breckinridge will not divide time with Settle.

Brothers Shot by a Marshal.

GLASGOW, Ky., Oct. 13.—Jim and Bud Pedigo were shot by the town marshal here. The shooting grew out of an attempt of Marshal Collins to arrest Jim Pedigo. Pedigo resisted and drew a knife, when the marshal shot him in the side. Pedigo fell in the street, and Bud Pedigo, a brother, ran up and caught the two shots at his brother. The result of his right wrist. It is thought that Jim Pedigo's wound is fatal. A large crowd was in town, and great excitement prevailed.

Will Not on Bryan.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 13.—President John A. Middleton, of the Farmers' and Traders' bank of Shelbyville, Ky., has declined to support Mr. Bryan, who is outvoted in Shelby county. Dr. C. B. Eddy, president of the Southern Bryan club, offers to wager him \$1,000 that Shelby county will not go for either McKinley or Palmer, and also \$1,000 that Kentucky casts her vote for Bryan in November.

A Killing in East Kentucky.

RICHMOND, Ky., Oct. 13.—At a party given Thursday night at the home of Pless Hill, just over the East Kentucky line, a shooting occurred. A man named Jones fired the fatal shot. No further particulars obtainable.

All Quiet at Harlan.

MIDDLEBORO, Ky., Oct. 13.—Latest reports from Harlan state that everything is quiet and no trouble is anticipated from Overton's friends. Sunday night is his last on earth, unless the governor stays prisoner, and his friends have despaired of his life, but should an uprising occur Sheriff Smith was sufficient command at hand to quell any disturbance.

Three Sons Died Suddenly.

PAHIA, Ky., Oct. 13.—Three sons of Julia Thomas, a Negro woman of Luck, who had been ill, have died of diphtheria, one on Thursday night, another Friday and one Saturday. The remaining son is also at death's door. The children had been taken to the hospital, but the disease had advanced too far. Two deaths were reported Saturday.

Overton Must Die.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Oct. 13.—If Buford Overton, the Harlan county murderer, who is to be hanged Monday, was released a respite of 30 days by Gov. Bradley. Overton had previously been refused a pardon and a commutation of his sentence. Gov. Bradley is absent on a speaking tour, but wired the secretary of state that the respite was granted.

War on the Tons.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 13.—Chief McElroy has declared war on the tons. He gave it out to them that they must get out of town before Monday, and that unless they did they would be arrested. The late trains carried several. The experience of the tons who were sent out of town before Monday, was no pleasant as riding blind baggage.

Head and Legs Torn Off.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Oct. 13.—While walking upon the tracks of the L. & N. railroad at Casey, near this city, Sunday morning, David Morris, a colored boy 15 years old, was struck by a passenger train and instantly killed. Both legs and his head were torn from his body, which was frightfully mangled.

"Anita" Newsweek Caught.

SARASOTA, Ky., Oct. 13.—"Anita" Newsome, the Kentucky murderer, was captured in a boat on the Virginia, by Deputy Sheriff Casbolt, of Pike county, and three deputies. Newsome murdered his cousin, a man named Dokes, on Shelby creek. A reward of \$3,000 was offered for his arrest.

Downey Gets 10 Years.

HANDSCOMB, Ky., Oct. 13.—James Downey, who killed Policeman John R. Russell here last April, was tried in the circuit court and the verdict of the jury was a guilty of voluntary manslaughter, and the punishment 10 years in state's prison.

George Talbot Dead.

CYRTANA, Ky., Oct. 13.—George M. Talbot died at his home in this city at noon Sunday after a short illness. The deceased was one of the wealthiest and most respected citizens in Harrison county.

Fald in Gold.

ASHLAND, Ky., Oct. 13.—The Ashland Coal and Oil Railway paid out \$10,000 gold Saturday, distributing \$5,000 in one, two and a half, five and ten dollar pieces. The object was campaign of the company employs about 200 hands.

Burialists Will Die.

LANCASTER, Ky., Oct. 13.—County Judge R. A. Rutledge is dying. He was shot accidentally by Postmaster James J. Hamilton, and the Negro, Knox, who was with him, was killed.

Too Much Morphia.

OWENSON, Ky., Oct. 13.—Mrs. T. W. Gallagher, wife of the proprietor of the Hotel Wood, died from an overdose of chloroform taken to allay temporary pain.



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